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George W. Bruchmann, Chief Waste and Hazardous Materials Division Michigan Department of Environmental Quality Constitution Hall 525 West Allegan Street Lansing, MI 48909-7741

## Dear Mr. Bruchmann:

As requested by the MDEQ, Dow is providing the following information obtained from various research and studies recently completed along the Tittabawassee River and Upper Saginaw River. This information consists of the following reports:

- Geochronology Pilot Study, Floodplain Soils Tittabawassee River, Michigan (May 2005, Limno-Tech, Inc.)
- Dendrogeomorphic Pilot Study, Tittabawassee River Floodplain, Michigan (May 2005, Limno-Tech, Inc.)
- Tittabawassee River Dioxin/Furan Concentration Vertical Variability (May 2005, CH2M Hill)
- Sediment Evaluation Report, Upper Saginaw River Saginaw, Michigan (May 2005, CH2M Hill)
- Transmittal of Analytical Data from Floodwater Samples (Memo dated May 31, 2005 CH2M Hill)

Dow has limited copies of these reports on hand and will have made additional copies made and sent to MDEQ. At this time Dow is providing six paper copies and two electronic copies of the Geochronology and Dendrogeomorphic Pilot Studies along with six copies of the memo titled "Transmittal of Analytical Data from Floodwater Samples". Dow has posted all the above documents on the eProject workspace and will provide the additional paper and electronic copies when copying is completed along with two electronic copies of each report.

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